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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

COLUMBIA, SC -- United States Attorney Bill Nettles' Law Enforcement Coordinating Committee and the South Carolina Law Enforcement Officers' Association (SCLOEA) will host a luncheon on **Friday, December 2, 2011**, for the presentation of the **2011 Strom Thurmond Awards for Excellence in Law Enforcement**. Each year awards are presented to a city, county, state, and federal law enforcement officer who have demonstrated the highest ideals of excellence in professional law enforcement. Solicitor J. Strom Thurmond, Jr. will deliver the keynote address to a group of more than 100 law enforcement officers throughout the state and will participate in the presentation of the awards.

The 2011 awards luncheon will be held at the **Fort Jackson Officers' Club at Fort Jackson**. Lunch will begin at 12:30 p.m. and the awards program will be begin at approximately 1:00 p.m. **The names of award recipients will be announced during the luncheon.**

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